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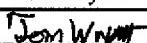
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TITLE OF INVENTION: OPTICAL DISK RECORDING/REPRODUCING METHOD AND APPARATUS IN WHICH RECORDING PROPERTIES OF THE DISK ARE DETECTED WHEN RECORDING SPEED IS CHANGED

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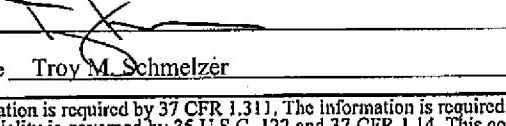
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